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THE
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Incorporated by Royal Charter.
Capital, ... $1,250,000.
IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
GOLD DUST and BARS Purchased,
—OR—
Advances made upon the same.
—ALSO—
Received on Consignment, and disposed of as advised,
FREE OF CHARGE.

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On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
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No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.
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DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.
CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.
GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one half per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.
GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.
Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturday's, 10 to 1.
JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, September 12, 1862. au13

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Saddle, Collar,
AND HARNESS MAKER.
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE Citizens of Victoria and the public generally that he has commenced the above Business on
GOVERNMENT STREET,
OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
And hopes by paying strict attention to business and by charging moderately to obtain a share of public patronage.
A GOOD STOCK OF
English, Mexican and Other Saddles,
Also, a General Assortment of
HARNESS, RIDING BRIDLES, WHIPS AND SPURS ON HAND.
Wm. Newbery having been in business for the last five years in England, and being acquainted with some of the best Manufacturers, is enabled to import every article in his line and supply the same to his customers at a
LOWER RATE
THAN CAN BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.
☞ Orders from British Columbia punctually attended to.
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NEATLY DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.
Jy30 1m

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FOR THIRTY DAYS,
THE EXTENSIVE STOCK OF
CROCKERYWARE
VERY CHEAP,
AT THE PIONEER VARIETY STORE,
ON WADDINGTON ALLEY,
In order to make room for a large and well selected stock to arrive on the
DUSTY MILLER,"
DIRECT FROM ENGLAND.
All who wish to purchase low have now an opportunity for I must have the room,
—ALSO—
At the above Store will be found an assortment of
WINE GLASSES,
TUMBLERS,
DECANTERS,
LARGE LOOKING GLASSES,
WATER BOTTLES,
KNIVES AND FORKS,
FISHING RODS,
PLATED WARE,
TIN WARE,
LONG AND SHORT HANDLED SHOVELS,
CARPENTER'S TOOLS,
AXES, HATCHETS,
ONE VERY LARGE COOKING STOVE,
And a General Assortment of Hardware.
—ALSO—
A varied collection of SECOND HAND GOODS too numerous to mention. All of which will be sold Wholesale or Retail
CHEAP FOR CASH.
Jy28 T. P. FREEMAN.

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INSURANCE COMPANY,
—FOR—
FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.
CAPITAL, - Ten Million Dollars
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THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the undersigned their agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and will now accept proposals for Insurance, both in the Fire and Life Departments. They feel confident that the known standing and character of this office, the sound principles on which it is established, and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.
JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.
ANDERSON & CO.,
WHARF STREET.
Victoria, h January, 1863. jy20

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BY T. MONOGHAN. ORDERS LEFT at P. O'Dwyer's Colonial Bakery, Government street, or at the Brick Store, Cormorant street, will be punctually attended to. jy20 3m

MISCELLANEOUS.
J. C. RIDGE,
Corner WHARF and FORT Streets,
OFFERS FOR SALE,
Ex "Strathallan"
"Rising Sun,"
—AND—
"Fusi Yama."
Dry Goods:
Clothing, Men's and Boys',
Hosiery, Cotton, Wool and Shetland,
French Felt Hats,
Shawls and Mantles, in great variety,
Piece Goods, French Merino, Irish Poplins,
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Cruet Stands,
Tea Urns,
Table Cutlery and Pocket Knives.
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Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddles,
Harness, &c.
Liquors:
Brandy, in Case and Bulk,
Port,
Sherry,
Champagne,
Claret. aul 1m

HEALTH FOR A SHILLING
Holloway's Pills.
Headaches, Bile, Loss of Appetite, and Fowness of Spirits.
These Pills require no interruption of business or pleasure; they act mildly on the bowels, strengthen the stomach, and promote a healthy action of the liver, whereby they purify the blood, cleanse the skin, brace the nerves, and invigorate the whole system. They effect a truly wonderful change in debilitated constitutions, as they create a healthy appetite correct indigestion, remove bile, giddiness head aches, and palpitation of the heart.
Weakness and Debility.
of debility, languor, and nervousness gen excess of any kind, whether mental or phy effect of these Pills is in the highest degre bracing, renovating and restorative. They driv from the system the morbid cause of disease; re-e tablish the digestion, regulate all the secretions, brac the nervous system, raise the patient's spirits, and bring back the frame to its pristine health and vigor They increase the appetite, while they secure perfec digestion to all ordinary food, and release the invalid from restraint in diet.
A Word to Females.
There are two periods, especially in Woman's life, which require for safe passage, judgment and attention. Irregularity is apt at those critical times to take place, and to lay the foundation of future disease These Pills, safe in action, and effective in result, should be taken at certain periods, and the issue will be marvellous both to the young and the middle aged. They prevent nervousness, hysterics, dropsy, and a host of similar serious disorders, by expelling all impurities from the system, therefore none should ever be without them.
Coughs, Colds, and Asthmas,
No medicine will cure colds so quickly as these Pills, when of long duration or settled on the chest or even though it has assumed the first stage of asthma, they may be relied on as a certain and never failing cure, particularly if the Ointment be well rubbed into the chest and throat night and morning. this catch the eye of any asthmatical person so bad as even not able to lie down in bed, let him well use these two preparations for only a week, and the result will be marvellous.
Blood to the Head—Diseases of the Heart,
More persons die suddenly from diseases of the heart than the unlearned suppose: in such complaints, the bowels should always be kept well open, as also where there is a tendency of blood to the head. These celebrated Pills purify the blood in an extraordinary manner, and should be taken in copious doses when such symptoms occur, taking care not to overload the stomach; by this means al danger is quickly averted.
Children's Complaints.
It is not generally known, but such is the fact, tha. children require medicine oftener than their parents Three-fourths of the children die before they attain the age of eight years. Let mothers, then, be wise and give to their children small doses of these invaluable Pills once or twice every week, in such quantity as may act gently upon the system twice in the twenty-four hours. For infants, a Pill may be crushed and given as a powder in a little water The gross humors that are constantly floating about in the blood of children, the forerunners of so many complaints, will thus be expelled, and the lives of thousands saved and preserved to their parents.
Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Ague	Dropsy	Inflammation	Sore Throat
Asthma	Dysentery	Jaundice	Stone and Gravel
Bilious Complaints	Erysipelas	Liver Complaints	Secondary Symptoms
Blotches on the Skin	Female Irregularities	Lumbago	Tic-Douloureux
Bowel Complaints	Fevers of all kinds	Piles	Tumours
Colics	Fits	Rheumatism	Ulcers
Consumption	Gout	Retention of Urine	Venereal Affections
Debility	Head-ache	Scrofula, or King's Evil	Weakness, from whatever cause
	Indigestion		
	Worms of all kinds		

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.
N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box nl4

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SURVEYS IN TOWN AND COUNTRY.
Also Plans of Buildings, etc., etc., on the shortest notice.
Office next door to Nagle's Shipping Office, near Police Office. Jy21

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THE SHIP "RISING SUN," Captain Thos. McKinnion, 824 tons register, A. 1., coppered and copper fastened, will sail for England from Alberni, on or about the first of September next offering an eligible opportunity to passengers for the United Kingdom.
☞ For rate of passage and further particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or the Agents,
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Company's Agency,
For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.
OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS,
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The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall direct being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.
Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France
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GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.
ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco
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Victoria, V. I., Jun 17, 1862 jy 20-1m

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STEAMSHIP LINE,
Carrying H. M. Mails.
THE FOLLOWING STEAMERS WILL leave San Francisco during July and August:
SIERRA NEVADA.....via Portland..... July 7
RIO JONATHAN..... Direct..... " 17
SIERRA NEVADA.....via Portland..... " 27
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For Freight or Passage apply to
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jy14 tf Agents.

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FIRE SURANCE COMPANY,
(REGISTERED.)
Capital One Million.
Offices 73 and 74 King William st., London
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WAGONS AND CARTS ALWAYS ON HAND, AND MADE TO ORDER!
ALL KINDS OF JOBBING AND REPAIRING attended to. He has always a good assortment of TIMBER on hand. Park street, opposite the Catholic Church, near the road to the Race Course
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Ex "Fusi Yama"
FREDERICK DALLY,
Government street, (opposite the St. James' Hotel.)
OFFERS FOR SALE THE
LARGEST SELECTION!
ENGLISH
ENGRAVINGS,
(Framed and Glazed) ever imported into this Colony.
GLASSWARE!
Ruby and Cut DECANTERS;
Cut and Pressed TUMBLERS;
Cut WINE GLASSES, various;
DRESSING GLASSES, Crown and Plate with Trays;
Electro Silver TEA and COFFEE SETS;
CRUET FRAMES;
Table and Dessert FORKS and SPOONS;
German Silver and Brittania Metal FORKS;
Ivory Handle TABLE KNIVES, DESSERT KNIVES;
CARVERS and Steel;
Bone Handled KNIVES;
POCKET KNIVES, Scissors, Brooches, Scarf Pins, and Porte Monnaies;
STATIONERY, assorted; also, unframed ENGRAVINGS, and OIL PAINTINGS;
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American Cloth Coat CASES;
Mahogany and Rosewood WRITING DESKS
CONCERTINAS, VIOLINS;
CAMP STOOLS;
Men's ELASTIC BELTS, Gentlemen's TOOL CHESTS;
PIPES, assorted;
Black French GLACIE SILK;
SOAPS—Brown Windsor, Glycerine, Honey, &c.;
Hair and Tooth BRUSHES, COMBS, etc.;
MEN'S CLOTHING—Trowsers, Coats, and Vests;
HABERDASHERY;
A Small Invoice of JEWELRY;
Whybrow's PICKLES—Pints, 3 doz in case.
jy20 1m

A. T. CLARK & CO.,
East India, Shipping, and General Forwarding Agents,
7 LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON, E. C.
And Dock Chambers, Southampton.
PASSENGERS' BAGGAGE, PARCELS, and Merchandize received and forwarded to all parts of the world.
Parties coming from India will save themselves time and trouble if they advise A. T. C. & Co. by the previous Mail, in which case, a clerk will meet them on board, and see to the landing of Baggage, and clearing it at the Custom House. ja14 1yw

Dentistry. Dentistry.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTED the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental materials that are to be found on the Pacific Coast, and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by
DR. ZELNER.
Office in the Drug Store, cor. Government and Yates street
☞ Dr. Zelner has made arrangements during his absence from Victoria with Dr. Nicholes, Late of London, who will be in attendance daily, and he guarantees that perfect satisfaction will be given in all cases where his services may be required. jy27

Queen Insurance Company,
Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies.
Jy29 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.

EDUCATIONAL.
Collegiate School for Boys,
VICTORIA, V. I.
VISITOR—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop.
PRINCIPAL—The Rev Charles T. Woods, M. A., T. C. D. and Oxon.
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Course of Instruction:
The Greek and Latin Classics,
Mathematics—Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry.
The English course comprises Geography, History, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, &c.
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The Collegiate School is conducted on the principles of the old established English Grammar Schools, a Religious Education being the recognized basis of all instruction.
TERMS.
Under 12 years of age..... $5 per month
Under 16 years of age..... $6 per month
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No Extras. Fees payable in advance.
Terms for boarders, or any other particulars, may be known on application to the Rev. the Principal.
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VICTORIA, V. I.
THE REV. CHARLES T. WOODS, M. A., Principal of the Collegiate School, receives Boarders at his residence, Vancouver street, where in addition to being assisted in their studies, they will receive in other respects every care and attention.
TERMS
Under sixteen years of age..... $30 per month
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British Columbia and Victoria
EXPRESS!
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH
WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
For California, Oregon, Atlantic States and Europe,
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH
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ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver, and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared, and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.
New Westminster, March 13, 1863. Jy24

Notice to all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise.
BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT of his Majesty, the King of the Hawaiian Islands, the undersigned hereby notifies all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise to that Kingdom, that the Import duty thereon will be calculated and levied on their Invoice value, as MANIFESTED to the Custom-House at the Port of shipment, less the precise amount of the increase in the Invoice value of said Goods and Merchandise arising from the depreciation of the currency at the date of said Invoice, but that no reduction of duties whatever will be allowed, unless the Invoices, as presented for clearance at the Custom House, be accompanied with a Certificate under the Seal and Signature of the undersigned, stating the per-centage of the increase in the value of said Invoices at the time of their date arising from the depreciation of the currency, as aforesaid.
The undersigned, on proof that the Invoices are calculated in depreciated currency, and of the percentage of that increase arising from that depreciation, is authorized to issue Certificates of the same, on presentation of the Invoices, to all applicants, they paying the usual fee of five dollars for each Certificate.
HENRY RHODES,
Consul.
His Hawaiian Majesty's Consulate,
Victoria, V. I., July, 1863. Jy25 tf d&w

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of every description for
Sporting or Military Purposes,
Double Waterproof Central Fire Caps, Felt Waddings to prevent the leading of Guns, Wire Cartridges for killing Game, &c., at long distances. Breech Loading Cartridge Cases of superior quality for Shot Guns and Rifles.
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Bullets of uniform weight made by compression from soft Refined Lead.
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—AND—
TABLE CUTLERY
Imported direct from the Manufactory in Sheffield by
CHARLES LEVY,
Jy24 1m WHARF STREET.

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COMMISSION MERCHANT,
—AND—
SHIPPING AGENT,
ST. OUR'S WHARF, VICTORIA, V.I.
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YATES STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.
Importer and Dealer in
STOVES,
HARDWARE,
CROCKERY and GLASSWARE
Orders for British Columbia, the Sound, and elsewhere promptly attended to. au1 1m

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THE UNDERSIGNED RECEIVE CONsignments of Colonial Produce, &c., direct, or through the Banks; purchase Home Manufactures, &c., and undertake other commission Business, on the usual London Terms.
JOSEPH STARKEY & CO.,
(ESTABLISHED 1826.)
23 Conduit street, Bond street, London.
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Photographic Artists,
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Ex "STRATHALLAN,"
(From London),
BLANKETS, 2¼ and 3 points, Blue and White,
CANVAS, 100 bolts assorted sizes.
For sale by
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.,
Jy20 1m Wharf street.

FOR SALE.
25 KEGS BLASTING POWDER FOR sale by
g2 EDGAR MARVIN

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GOLDSTONE & BROTHER,
(LATE SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE,)
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Importer and Wholesale Dealer in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS:
Dry Goods, Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,
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THE BRITISH STORE.
W. A. COOPER,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
Provision Merchant,
Dealer in Groceries, &c.,
51, *GOVERNMENT STREET*
N. B. The true English principle adopted of
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
Miners going to the Diggings
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au 4 tf

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IMPORTERS,
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And Wholesale Dealers in
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
Fire-Proof Warehouse, Wharf street, opposite H. B Company's Wharf, Victoria, V. I. Jy30 1m

SPORBORG & RUEFF,
Commission Merchants,
—AND IMPORTERS OF—
Groceries, Provisions, Boots and Shoes,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA,
HAVE ON HAND AND ARE CONSTANTLY receiving a complete assortment of
Groceries, &c
—ALSO—
Boots and Shoes,
From the following celebrated makers: Benjamin D. Godfrey, Fogg, Houghton & Co., B. G. Wing, Howard, French & Co., Clement, Colburn & Co., Underwood, Walker & Co., Reynolds & Monks, Josiah Reese, Nathaniel Shaw & Co., E. Tucker, F. Curtis
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KENT & FROST,
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—AND—
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WINES, LIQUORS,
—AND—
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Register Stoves,
Fenders,
Fire Irons,
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Mill Saw Files, (Spear & Jackson,)
Bastard and Hand, do. do.
Razors, Rodgers,
Penknives do.
Riveted Ivory Handled Table Knives,
Dish Covers,
Moulds,
Sugar Boxes,
Lanterns,
Plated Ware,
Cruet Stands,
Tin Ware,
Trays, Ploughs, Spades, Vices
Anvils, Hay Forks, Iron Wheelbarrows, Galvanized Buckets, Saddles, Coal Scuttles, &c., &c.
Everybody should visit this Establishment before Furnishing. au6 tf

BANK
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
Cariboo Agency.
AN AGENCY OF THIS BANK WILL shortly be opened at Richfield and will be ready for business immediately on the arrival of the first Gold Escort at Cariboo.
The Victoria office is now prepared to grant Drafts and issue Letters of Credit upon the Richfield Agency, to receive Bills for Collection, and to transact an ordinary Banking Business.
JAMES D. WALKER,
Manager.
Victoria, V. I., 28th May, 1863. Jy29

Ex "Strathallan,"
FROM LONDON,
BRANDY—Hennessy's and Martell's,
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co.'s and Worthington's,
SHERRY—Various grades,
CLARET— do. do.,
ALE and PORTER—Various Brands,
ALE—In Bulk and Case.
For sale by DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.
Jy20 1m Wharf street.

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
LAND AGENT,
GOVERNMENT STREET, NEXT COLONIST OFFICE
Town Lots and Farming Land, bought, sold and leased Jy21 1m

HOTELS AND SALOONS.
JOHN BULL HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET SOUTH.
The above is now carried on by
Mr. Francis Dodd,
Who will always make it his study
TO SUPPLY HIS CUSTOMERS
WITH THE BEST OF
WINES, SPIRITS AND BEER,
That can be Bought in this Market
A "Free and Easy"
As usual, on Wednesday and Saturday Evenings. au14

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL!
GOVERNMENT ST.,
VICTORIA, V. I.
N. C. MATTHIESSEN,
P. MATTHIESSEN,
H. VALENTINEN,
PROPRIETORS.
THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated, and tastefully furnished There is a large
Public Restaurant!
Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties' etc.
THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT
Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. au13-1m

Port Seaton House,
LAKE SEATON,
Harrison-Lillooet Route,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED AT THE foot of Lake Seaton, on the Harrison-Lillooet Route, and is distant three miles and a half from Lillooet, and, having been just completed and fitted up with Single Rooms, New Furniture, &c., offers excellent accommodation for the travelling public.
TAYLOR & CO.,
au9 Proprietors.

Oriental Hotel,
IN YATES STREET,
Corner of Oriental Alley.
Neatly Fitted up for Travellers
SUITES AND SINGLE ROOMS,
The Bedrooms are furnished with Spring Mattrasses.
THE BEST OF LIQUORS
To be had at the Bar, and
EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLES!
In the Saloon Unfurnished room may be had, if required.
P. MANETTA,
au 10 1m Proprietor.

ROCK BAY HOUSE!
(BETWEEN THE BRIDGES,)
J. W. CROMER.
WINES, LIQUORS,
—AND—
CIGARS.
au6 1

OCCIDENTAL
BILLIARD SALOON,
SECOND STORY, BRICK BLOCK,
Cor. of Government and Fort Streets,
VICTORIA.
E. CHIELOVICH, Proprietor.
THIS SALOON HAS BEEN FITTED up by the Proprietor for the accommodation of the Public, in a style that is not surpassed in San Francisco. No expense has been spared to render it the finest
BILLIARD SALOON
—IN THIS CITY.—
It contains six of Phelan's best Billiard Tables.
At the Bar will be found the choicest Wines and Liquors.
The Saloon is tastefully decorated with costly pictures, is beautifully carpeted and furnished for the accommodation of the Public; and is well ventilated, and lighted with Gas.
☞ PUBLIC ENTRANCE ON GOVERNMENT STREET. jy31 tf

CROOKED BILLET
Luncheon Bar!!
This New Saloon was opened on
Saturday, July 25th,
WITH THE CHOICEST
WINES, SPIRITS, ALES, Etc., Etc.
N. B.—The Original Pie establishment is connected with the above Saloon.
MASON & REVIS, Proprietors,
Bastion street, off Government street.
jy24 1m

GLOBE HOTEL,
LYTTON CITY, B. C.
LOUIS HAUTIER & CO.,
SO WELL KNOWN BY TRAVELERS in British Columbia, beg to inform the public that their House shall in future be called the Globe Hotel. It has been lately entirely refitted and greatly enlarged to meet their increased patronage. The Bedrooms, Billiard Saloon and Baths are well furnished to meet the requirements of persons stopping at the establishment. A Table d'Hote daily. Good Stabling for Horses.
The arrangements are so complete as to enable the Proprietors to make their guests comfortable, and the Hotel the equal of any first class house in British Columbia. Jy20 tf

T. ALLSOP,
Land and Mining Agent,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
Jy28 1m

NOTICES.
NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.
JOHN KRIEMLER HAS THIS DAY been admitted a partner of Joseph Spratt in the business of Machinists and Iron Founders. The business in future will be carried on under the style of SPRATT & KRIEMLER.
10th August, 1863 au12 tf

NOTICE.
ALL ACCOUNTS DUE BY JOSEPH SPRATT up to date, to be sent in forthwith for settlement.
10th August, 1863. au12 tf

NOTICE!
THE UNDERSIGNED, LAY YING LUNG, otherwise Lay Wing, has this day sold and absolutely disposed of all his interest of whatever nature or kind soever unto Chack Fan, of, in, and to the copartnership effects of the firm of Kwong, Lee & Co., at Victoria, V. I., Yale, and Lillooet, in British Columbia, and has ceased to be a partner of said firm. All debts due to said firm are to be paid to the said firm of Kwong, Lee & Co., and all debts due by said firm will be liquidated by them
Dated this 6th day of August, A. D. 1863.
LAY WING.
Witness—FRED. J. FORTYZ.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY purchased all the right title and interest of Lay Ying Lung, otherwise Lay Wing, of, in, and to the copartnership effects of Kwong, Lee & Co., at Victoria, Vancouver Island, and Yale and Lillooet, British Columbia, and that the said Lay Ying Lung, otherwise Lay Wing, has ceased to be a partner of said firm.
Dated this 6th day of August, 1863.
CHAK FAN,
Witness—FRED. F. FORTYZ au8

NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against and all persons indebted to the Estate of the late JAMES EDNEY, who died in March last, at the 59 Mile Post, British Columbia, are requested to settle the same on or before the 1st day of October next, with
FREDERICK BLACK,
au2 3t Administrator.

NOTICE.
MESSRS. EDW. AND JOSIAH HUNter, were admitted Partners into our business as wood and coal merchants, on the 4th July last, and will henceforth also sign the firm. Cash paid for wood and coal on delivery at Bridge Wharf.
D. KAVANAGH & CO.
Victoria, 27th July, 1863.
Jy28 1m

NOTICE.
MR. JULIUS FREDERICK EMIL Engelhardt was admitted a partner into our house on the 15th May last, and will henceforth also sign the firm.
SIEFKEN BROTHERS & CO.
Victoria, 24th July, 1863. Jy25 1m

A. J. BRUNN
FASHIONABLE
TAILOR,
—HAS JUST RECEIVED—
ROYAL NAVAL UNIFORM GOLD-LACE
BUTTONS, BADGES, CAPS,
MOHAIR AND OAKLEAF BANDS,
Pearl Shirt Studs,
SOLID LEATHER VALISES.
—AND—
PORTMANTEAUS.
SUMMER CLOTHING
PANAMA HATS!!
DRAB & BLACK CASSIMERE HATS!
BOYS' FANCY CLOTH CAPS.
(NEXT DOOR TO BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA)
GOVERNMENT STREET.
y22 tf

FOR SALE,
MAHOGANY PLANK—ST. DOMINGO—from 1½ to 4 inches thick. 1850 feet
VERY DESIRABLE LOT.
MAHOGANY BOARDS—Bay Wood and Domingo—1 inch.
BEST CURLED HAIR—2500 LBS.
SHORT DO—2500 do
SPANISH MOSS, 3000 do
FEATHERS—Best live Geese 300 do
DO Ordinary, 750 do
MIRRORS—Gilt, Mahogany and Rosewood—all Sizes, Oval and Square Shapes.
SHOW CASES—On hand, and made to order.
SPRING MATTRASSES—Made to order;
PULU—By the Bale,
—ALSO—
A General Assortment of
Furniture AND Bedding,
Wholesale and Retail,
☞ No charge for delivering go

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Tuesday Morning, August 18, 1863.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

THE DEBATE ON THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY TRANSFER.

Judging from the debate which took place in the House of Lords on the second of last month on the British Columbia Boundary Bill, the rights by which the Hudson Bay Company, and through them those by which the body of capitalists who have become their successars, claim to deal with so large a portion of British America, will again be brought in question in a rather prominent manner. The "private transfer of the North Pole," as a writer in the *Spectator* terms it, notwithstanding the Duke of Newcastle considered the Colonial Office had nothing to do with it, does not seem to have been altogether agreeable to Parliament. A transaction such as that involving the future destinies of so vast an extent of territory could not be allowed to pass without some objection. So long as the Hudson Bay Company kept quiet by attending to their business, without giving undue prominence to their pretensions, matters went on with comparative smoothness, though, no doubt, the Company were well aware of the precarious footing upon which those pretentions stood. The attempt, however, to deal with what is generally known as the Hudson Bay Territory, as though a valid title to do so was vested in the Company, has been, let us hope, the straw which is to break the camel's back. The Earl of Donoughmore, referring to the fact that when the Company received their charter from Charles II., a large portion of the territory now claimed really was not then under the dominion of England, but owned by France, and that French companies had extended their posts considerably west of the Red River, so that they have for years been exercising powers over a territory without a shadow of right. Even to those portions of territory which actually did belong to England at the time of the charter, above mentioned, it is an extremely doubtful matter if the enormous pretentions of the company could be sustained. The most eminent lawyers of England have given it as their opinion that the king had no authority to grant a perpetually exclusive right to trade to any body of men. Such rights are incapable of being enforced, as being contrary to public policy; they will not be permitted in contracts between private individuals for the very same reason. No authority but Parliament could render such power lawful, and that consent Parliament has never given. Even those who are interested in the great road and telegraph scheme appear to be aware of the doubtful nature of the Hudson Bay Company's claim, since Mr. Watkins, who has acted a rather prominent part on behalf of the new company in the negotiations for the purchase of the old company's claim, proposed last year in one of the many phases of the transaction, that both the Imperial and Colonial Governments should be got to confirm the old title. The Earl of Donoughmore did well in advocating that the Imperial Government should take steps to ascertain the extent of the rights claimed by the monopolists in the territory in question, "for if nothing were now done to define their extent, the new company would claim all the rights alleged to be possessed by the old company, and their claim would be strengthened by the apparent acquiescence of the Government in them." The defence of the old company and we might say of the rights of the new one made by Lord Taunton, was, we might say a miserably lame one. He was quite right in saying that they always jealously watched, the frontiers against intruders. But if they took care to keep the country *for* England, as he maintains, no one can deny, however paradoxical may seem the assertion, that they at the same time kept it *from* England and the English emigrant. The merit claimed for the company by this nobleman as the protectors and preservers of the Indian race might be admitted at home, where a good knowledge of matters and things on this continent can be claimed by very few, but we who live in the scene of action know better. The Indians have been preserved in the territories ruled by the old company, simply because the white servants of the company were to few to do injury. Wherever the white man has come in any numbers, there the red man has disappeared, either by violence as has often been the case in the United States, or slowly by disease and vice as in British Territory. If the preservation of the red man is an argument for the exclusion of the white man in one part of America, it is, and should have been for another part. Canada and the United States to carry out the policy of Lord Taunton, should still be a wilderness and free fighting ground for the Indian tribes to scalp each other *ad libitum;* whilst the European population should stay at home to pine away with hunger and wretchedness. Equally puerile was the attempt to defend the trading policy of the old company, which no doubt if they are permitted will be that of their successors. Free trade, it is contended, cannot be carried out in a fur district, without leading to extinction of the animals. Admitting this to be true, the public, we opine, find it but a weak argument in favor of giving the spoils to a company of capitalists who give nothing for the exclusive privilege they enjoy, and whose constant policy it has been and must be, to keep the country a desert.

No one can read the debate throughout without forming a very poor opinion indeed, of the talent and knowledge displayed by those who took part in it. Most of us would have expected something better on a subject of such magnitude, and involving such a variety of important interests, debated by men occupying the lofty position of Legislators for the British Empire, and few can help coming to the conclusion that it is a wonder that the colonies progress so well even as they do, considering the ignorance that exists in the old country concerning them.

FOR SALE.

By the Undersigned,

A SMALL LOT OF

R. LOPEZ & CO.'S

WELL KNOWN BRAND OF

Fine Bottled Sherry and Port,

A. F. MAIN, Broker,
Government street,
Opposite Broughton Street. au18 1m

Postponed,

THE SUBSCRIPTION BALL, announced to take place at the Lyceum Hall, Hotel de France, on this TUESDAY EVENING, the 18th instant, is postponed until further notice.
Victoria, 17th August, 1863. au18 1t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Dog Fish Oil!

FOR SALE BY

HENRY NATHAN,
au18 1m Wharf street.

TO LOAN!

$5000. $2500.

Apply to
W. CULVERWELL,
au18 tf Yates street.

NOTICE.

IF MR. H. G. THOULD, LATE OF England, will apply at the Royal Hotel, Wharf street, he will hear of something to his advantage.
Victoria, V. I., August 17th, 1863. au18 1w

A. F. MAIN,

Land Agent,

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,

—AND—

ACCOUNTANT.

OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.
August 17th, 1863. au18 tf

VALUABLE FARM

FOR LEASE.

That Splendid Farm, called

Strawberry Vale!

SITUATED ON THE VICTORIA ARM, and being opposite to Craigflower, containing about 1000 Acres, all Fenced Round, and having costly improvements thereon.

This Estate will be let for a period of seven years, and either with or without Stock and implements, at the option of the Lessee.

For further particulars apply to
MR. JOHN COPLAND,
Land Office, Langley street;
Or to MATTHIAS ROWLAND, Esq.,
Burnside Farm.

—ALSO—

FOR SALE,

VALUABLE CORNER LOTS

On Douglas street.

ONE ACRE LOT

On Quadra street.

au18 1m

Administrator's Notice!

THE CREDITORS OF THE LATE WILLIAM WALLS are requested to call at Mr. McDonald's Office, Courtnay street, on FRIDAY next the 21st instant, to receive their respective proportions from the proceeds of the estate.
JAMES M. REID,
Administrator to the Estate of Wm. Walls, deceased au18 4t

Copper Mining Shares

For Sale,

IN SEVERAL COMPANIES.

Apply to T. ALLSOP,
Mining Agent,
Government street, opposite the St. James.
au18 tf

TO THE LICENSED LIQUOR DEALERS

A MEETING WILL BE HELD THIS EVENING at half past seven o'clock, at the Store next to the St. Nicholas Billiard Hall, to elect officers and make By Laws for the Licensed Victuallers' Association, formed last evening, at the Star and Garter Hotel.

☞ Punctual attendance is requested
WM. QUARLES,
Secretary pro tem.
Victoria, 18th August, 1863. au18 1t

New Bricks!

FOR SALE.

☞ Apply to
J. MASON, at the Brick Yard,
or G. MASON, at the Identical,
WHARF & YATES STREETS
au18 tf

NOTICE.

HENDERSON & BURNABY

WILL FOR THE FUTURE CLOSE their Store on SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, p. m., Steamer days excepted. au18 tf

Notice!

To Hotel and Saloon Proprietors.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTfully request the Hotel and Saloon Proprietors to meet at the Saint Nicholas Hotel on TUESDAY, the 18th instant at 8 o'clock, p m, to discuss matters pertaining to their interest, and for the purpose of organizing an Association for mutual benefit and protection.

B. F. Griffin—Boomerang Inn.
Matthiesson & Co—Saint Nicholas Hotel:
Jos Lovett—Bank Exchange.
Jno C. Keenan—Pavilion Hotel;
Chas. Chielovich—Occidental Saloon;
Mason & Ball—Identical Saloon;
Jno G. McKay;
Quarles & Thomas—St. Nicholas Hall;
T. H. McCann—The Club;
Martin Metzger—St. James Hotel;
Francis Dodd—John Bull Hotel;
John Bigne & Co.—Hotel de France;
L. A. Bendixen—St George Hotel;
Wilson & Miles—Australian House;
Mason & Reeves—Crooked Billet;
Tobias Piocentile—Theatre Saloon.
Victoria, V. I, August 17th, 1863 au17 2t

G. VIGNOLO & CO.,

No. 2 Reid's Block, Wharf Street

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Groceries and Provisions

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.
au17 tf

Notice!

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until MONDAY, the 24th instant, for the erection of a suburban residence on the south side of James' Bay. The drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest tender will be accepted, if otherwise satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
Architects.
Office cor. Yates and Langley street. au15 td

For Sale Cheap!

A GOOD BUSINESS

On the Esquimalt Road.

☞ APPLY AT THIS OFFICE.
au14 1m

Reward!

LOST THIS DAY BETWEEN GEORGE Dean's Farm and Mr. Colquhon's house, TWO CERTIFICATES OF LAND for Sections 26 and 27 Victoria District, of no use but to the undersigned, the owner. A suitable reward will be given to those who leave the same at Bayley's Grocery, Yates street.
GEO. DEANS.
Saturday, 8th August, 1863. au10

Ex "Strathallan,"

SADDLERY, WHIPS, &c.,

ELECTRO-PLATE,

HARDWARE,

Well Selected Invoices,

For sale by
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.,
jy20 1m Wharf street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FELLOWS & ROSCOE,

WHARF STREET,

HAVE FOR SALE

THE FOLLOWING GOODS,

TO ARRIVE PER

"Dusty Miller,"
"Phillipine,"
"Excelsior,"
and "LOCKET,'

IRON METALS, HARDWARE, &c.

Bar Iron—Assorted expressly for this market;	Fry Pans;
Sheet Iron—Nos. 24 to 27;	Camp Ovens and Covers;
Zinc Sheathing;	Wrought Iron Chests;
Copper do;	Twine;
Lead Pipe;	Door Mats;
Shot:	Walking Sticks;
Tin Plates, and Block Tin;	Mill Saw Files;
Wire;	Sad Irons;
	Saws, &c., &c.

CAST STEEL—Octagon and square.
SPRING STEEL.
TOE STEEL.

TINWARE.

Camp Kettles:	Cash Boxes;
Plates;	Trays, &c., &c.
Baths;	

HATS AND CAPS.

DRY GOODS.

Woollen Cloths;	Gloves;
Fancy Flannel Shirts;	Shawls!
Serge Shirts;	Collars and Sleeves;
Clothing—Coats, Pants, and Vests;	Tapes, Pins, Belts, and Collars,
Mens' and Womens' Underclothing;	Fancy Dry Goods, and Haberdashery;
Hose;	Head Dresses, Laces, &c.;
Overcoats, Capes, &c.;	Chenille and Hair Nets;
Neck Ties, Scarfs, &c;	Umbrellas.
Handkerchiefs;	

LACE CURTAINS—And a General Assortment of Dry Goods suitable for this market;
INDIA RUBBER COATS, BOOTS, LEGGINGS, &c.;
PIANOFORTES;
LOOKING GLASSES—72 by 48, and a General Assortment of smaller sizes;
SADDLERY;
TOBACCO PIPES;
EARTHENWARE—White Granite, and other descriptions;
SODA ASH, CAUSTIC SODA, PALM OIL, and ROSIN;
OILMENS' STORES—Including Lea & Perrins' Worcestershire Sauce;
STEEL PENS—Joseph Gillott & Son's.
au17 1m

BOAT LOST!

$25 Reward!

ON THE NIGHT OF THE 11TH August, 1863, between the hours of 11 at night and 6 the next morning, a Whitehall Boat, painted white, with a red streak, and green gunwales—flesh colored inside, broken a little way along the top of the port gunwale. On the recovery of said boat $25 Reward will be paid, and $50 on conviction of the offender.
Apply to HARRIS & CO.,
au17 2w Wharf street.

Notice to Builders!

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until 1 p. m. on SATURDAY, the 22d instant, for the erection of a Two-Story Residence.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of
RICHARD LEWIS,
Architect,
au17 td Government street.

To Rock Blasters.

TENDERS FOR THE BLASTING of Rock two miles from town, will be received up to TUESDAY, the 18th instant, at 4 p m., by the undersigned, to whom apply for particulars.
WM. OAKLEY,
Architect,
au17 td Government street.

JUST RECEIVED,

A BEAUTIFUL LOT OF

DIAMOND AND OTHER

JEWELRY,

Also, Paper Collars.

A. BULER, Government street,
Opposite Colonist Office.
Victoria, August 15th, 1863. au15 1w

FIREWOOD.

Clean and Straight Grained,

FOR SALE,

IN LOTS OF FIVE CORDS AND UPWARDS.

CARSWELL & CO.,
au11 Langley street.

MUNICIPAL.

THE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCtion for conducting the Ferry from the foot of Johnson street across to the Indian Reserve, as announced to take place at the City Council Chambers, on the 17th instant, is postponed until further notice.

By order of
THE MAYOR.
Town Clerk's Office, August 15th, 1863. au17

NEW FRUIT and POULTY MARKET

J. FLETCHER

HAS OPENED A

Fruit and Poultry Market,

On Johnson street, next door above the Tiger Engine House, where he will always supply the best

OREGON FRUIT, in season;

—ALSO—

FRESH VEGETABLES & CHICKENS, at Moderate Prices.

Private Families and Proprietors of Restaurants are respectfully invited to give him a trial.
au17 1m*

To Fire-wood Dealers,

TEAMSTERS, AND BOATMEN.

WANTED TO SELL, OR TO HAVE removed to Victoria from FOUR to FIVE HUNDRED CORDS WOOD, and now lying four miles from the city

It is conveniently piled for easy transit by land or water.

Apply to CARSWELL & CO,
au6 1m Langley street.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers & Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET. au6

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

TO CITIZENS!

BROWN & MATTHEWS

WADDINGTON STREET.

CLEARING-OUT SALE

—OF—

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

FOR THIRTY DAYS ONLY!

In order to close the old Stock on hand which will be sold at REDUCED PRICE to make room for NEW GOODS.

—VIZ:—

200 Pairs Men's Boots, all sizes—among them are Nos. 6 and 7—which will be sold at WHOLESALE PRICE. (Men wearing these sizes will profit much by calling and seeing for themselves.)

Fine Cassimere Pants,
Corduroy and Moleskin ditto,
Business Coats—all sizes;
Baltic Shirts,
Overshirts, Undershirts,
Woollen and Cotton Socks,
English Suits.

—ALSO—

A Fine Assortment of Vests,

HATS AND CAPS.

☞ The prices of these goods are attached to each—no mistake. Come and see for yourselves.

VICTORIA, V. I., Aug. 12, 1863.
au13 2w

GENTILE & CO.,

HAVE FOR SALE!

Two Rosewood Pianos,
A Splendid Harmonicorde,
Musical Boxes,
Violins.—Violin Strings,
New Music,
Photographic Albums,
Stereoscope Slides,
Stationery. Objects de Paris,
Inkstands—Choice assortment of Japanese goods at low prices, Playing Cards, Ladies' Morocco Bags, &c., &c., &c.

GENTILE & CO.,
(Under the Occidental Billiard Saloon,)

Fort Street.

Books lent to read—One Bit per Vol.
au5 1m

BOOMERANG LUNCHEON!

AN EXCELLENT

Cold Luncheon!

On the TABLE at the above Establishment,

Every Day.

From 12 M. to 4 P. M.

B. P. GRIFFIN,
Victoria, 20th July 1863. jy21 1m

LOST.

A DARK RED COW, IN MILK, horns turned in. Was missed from Mr. Sayward's residence between the Catholic Chapel and the Church Reserve, on Monday night last. Any person returning the same to the owner, will receive $10 REWARD.
Victoria V. I., 13th August 1863. au14 tf

PHOTOGRAPHIC FIXINGS WANTED.

ANY PERSON HAVING THE ABOVE for sale, can find a purchaser by applying at
GENTILE'S STORE,
Robinson's Block,
au14 1w Fort and Government street.

OAKLAND ESTATE.

NOTICE TO PURCHASERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT if the purchasers of the following Lots on the Oakland Estate do not call at my office, Johnson street, and pay the amount of the second instalment of purchase money, due July 23d, on or before the 23d of this month, together with all interest due thereon, the undersigned will forthwith take action in accordance with the agreements held in connection with the said lots:—

Lots No. 1, 2, 5, 16, 17, 23, 26, 28, 34.

E. C. WADDINGTON,
No 146 Johnson street.
Victoria, V. I, August 12th, 1863.
au13 2w

FOR SALE,

BY PRIVATE CONTRACT,

A Superior Farm

IN NORTH SAANICH.

NEAR THE FERRY TO SALT Spring Island and Cowichan, containing TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN ACRES, with a HOUSE and other buildings. A portion of this is fine Prairie Ground.

For particulars apply to
SELIM FRANKLIN & CO.
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Victoria, 30th July, 1863. jy31

T. ALLSOP,

MINING AGENT,

Government Street, near Broughton.

Having established an AGENCY with the

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE,

Offers unusual facilities for the introduction of

MINING and OTHER INVESTMENTS,

TO THE ENGLISH MARKET.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECurities, Bank, Railway, and Mining Shares, Bought and sold. au8 1m*

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SOUQUES CREEK SILVER MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS IN THE ABOVE Company are hereby notified that an assessment of Sixty Dollars per Share was made THIS DAY, payable at this office.
AUG. R. GREEN,
Secretary.
Victoria, V. I., 14th August, 1863. au15 3t

What Do You Want?

If you want—Your Grounds or Garden well laid out,
If you want—Your Garden kept in good order;
If you want—Your Greenhouse or Conservatory built,
If you want—Choice Plants for your Conservatory,
If you want—A varied selection of Wild Seeds, Roots and Bulbs,
If you want—Your Rose Trees budded in variety,
If you want—A Bouquet for $1 and upwards,
If you want—Seeds or Fruit Trees,
If you want—Your House supplied with vegetables,
If you want—Your Land fenced in,
If you want—A well sunk,
If you want—Designs for Ornamental Fountains, Vases, &c.,
Or anything else connected with Horticulture,

GO TO C. R. SMALLBONE,

The Practical Gardener of Victoria, V. I.
Kane street, near the Cemetery.
N. B.—Smallbone's Express Wagon will call upon customers. au11*

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF THE ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY will be held in the Court House on TUESDAY EVENING, the 18th inst., at 8 o'clock.
JAS. DUNCAN,
au15 td Vice President.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ANDERSON & CO

HAVE NOW AND USUALLY KEEP

FOR SALE

—THE FOLLOWING GOODS.—

MALT LIQUORS.

PORTER in bottle, Friend's, Hibbert's, Byass and Tennent's.
DO in wood, Tennent's, XXX.
ALE in wood, Tennent's, No. 3.
DO in bottle, Allsopp's by Friend & Byass', Bass, Tennent's &c.

SPIRITS.

BRANDY—Martell's Old Pale and Dark, in qr cask.
DO Jules, Robin & Co., Pale, in case and qr cask.
DO Tribat, Fils & Co., " " " qr cask.
DO Hemery, Champagne Cognac, in case.
DO Henri Ulounier, in case.
DO Otard, Pupuy & Co., in case.
RUM—Old Jamaica.
WHISKY—Scotch case, Stewart's, Brackla, Sheeds & Gillons.
DO Scotch cask, Crawford's Royal Highland, Stewart's, Paisley, Stewart's Kirkliston, and the well known "Ardley."

WINES.

PORT, SHERRY, CLARET, BURGUNDY } In 1, 2, and 3, dozen cases. In qr casks, hhds and pipes and from ordinary to choice qualities.
BRITISH WINES—Ginger Cordial, Raspberry, Vinegar and Lime Juice.

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Tuesday Morning, August 18, 1863.

CITY COUNCIL.

MONDAY EVENING, 17th Aug., 1863.

Present.—Councillors Copland, Searby, Stronach, Reid, Lewis, and Hicks.

His Worship the Mayor was unable to attend through severe indisposition.

Upon the motion of councillor Stronach, seconded by councillor Searby. Councillor Reid was called to the chair, (councillor Copland not voting.)

COMMUNICATIONS.

A letter was read from His Worship the Mayor, stating the reasons which had induced him to postpone the sale of the lease of the public ferry at the foot of Johnson street.

Agreed to be placed on file and the clerk instructed to acknowledge receipt of the Mayor's communication.

A petition was brought up from Messrs Shapard & Townsend of the Confederate Saloon, praying for a reduction of the city tax, as they had been in business only two months out of the six.

Placed on file.

REMOVING SIDE WALKS.

Leave was given to parties about to construct new buildings, to remove the side walks under certain restrictions.

STREET CONTRACTS.

The City Surveyor certified that Messrs. Hicks and Bawden were entitled to the following amounts:

On Contract for Yates and Cook street		$1,975 50
"	Broad street	182 50
"	Cormorant street	563 50
		$2,718 50
Aaron Neely on Contract for Fort street between Government and Wharf street		250 00
"	Douglas street	650 00
		$900 00

Referred to the Finance Committee.

THE MUD FLATS.

Mr. Lewis introduced the motion of which he had given notice for a committee to inquire into the best means for obtaining possession of the mud flat at James Bay, for city purposes, with a view of constructing a public wharf on the same, and a public market in the rear thereof.

Mr. Stronach said, he would support the motion if the latter part of it were erased.

Mr. Lewis was willing to strike out the latter part, but did not approve of its being divided into town lots, to open a way to speculation.

The Chairman was of opinion that the Corporation should be content with simply getting the property in question under their control, and they could then decide what was to be done with it.

Mr. Copland thought the motion was like cooking the hare before it was caught, He could not see from the motion how they were to catch the hare. He had been told that the Beaver had been nearly at the top of the flat, so that it could not be called land, but mud, and they did not know how much they might have to fill into it. He considered it navigable water, and it could no more be shut up than a public street. This property was held by the Crown in trust for the people. He was in favor of the motion, but would prefer having the words erased "for city purposes."

Mr. Hicks said that the shore to low water mark belonged to the people.

A Councillor—High water mark!

Mr. Hicks—In some places; but in most countries to low water mark.

Mr. Searby considered it was a piece of waste property which might be made very useful. He was rather in favor of deepening and dredging it to make it navigable, and thought a committee should be appointed to wait upon the adjoining property holders to confer with them as to the best means of improving the property, and believed an Act of Parliament would be necessary to vest it in the city.

The motion was then put and carried, and Messrs. Lewis, Hicks, and Searby were placed on the committee.

PUBLIC POUND.

A by-law regulating the public pound, upon motion of Mr. Copland, passed the first reading.

REPORT OF JAMES' BAY COMMITTEE.

The Committee reported that they had inspected the place where the fence had been erected in front of His Excellency's property on James' Bay, and found it had been removed, they had therefore nothing to report on that subject. They further reported that they had observed that a fence had been constructed below high water mark, and therefore included public property.

Mr. Copland repudiated the report contending that the road on which the chain gang was employed, was not laid down in accordance with the city map, and that the council should make a firm stand, and request that the prisoners be withdrawn from the road.

A long discussion ensued when

Mr. Copland moved, That a communication be sent to A. F. Pemberton, Esq., informing him that the line of street running from Humboldt street to Park street, is not in accordance with the line of street laid down on the map, being the schedule attached to the act by the Legislature incorporating the city, and that any presumed authority in the premises from the Council is withdrawn.

Mr. Stronach moved an amendment. That the City Surveyor be directed to report whether any alteration had been made in the line of the road.

A further lengthy discussion ensued, and Stronach's amendment was carried.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Finance Committee brought up a report recommending payment of various sums due by the corporation.

Mr. Hicks gave notice of motion for the appointment of a Committee to devise the best means for regulating sale of spirits, wines and malt liquors, within the limits of the city, and for drafting such by-laws as will meet the emergency of the case.

Mr. Copland gave notice that he would introduce a by-law to prevent the adulteration of articles of food or drink, and the fraudulent imitation of trade marks, of such articles sold in the city of Victoria.

Council adjourned at 10 P. M., to Monday evening next at 7.30 P. M.

ALBERNI.—We learn from this quarter that the weather was very warm and fine, the crops splendid, and the oat crop nearly all secured. Five seamen who attempted to desert from the ships in port had lost their way in the woods and returned to their vessels. A court was held by the magistrate on the 7th August, and one assault case disposed of. The following ships were loading: Monsoon, Shanghai; Strathallan, Shanghai; Arno, Sydney; Esk, Sydney; Vancouver, Callao; Early Bird, Manila; Alberni, Honolulu; Rising Sun, England.

MEMORIAL.—A Memorial was in circulation on Saturday, which was signed by many of our leading merchants, praying the Governor of British Columbia to amend the Mining Laws of Cariboo, so that claims may be worked during the winter, and by that means keep trade lively throughout the entire year. The memorial also sets forth the necessity of a provision by which claims might be mortgaged, or in other words made real estate. Some degree of caution is certainly necessary in establishing the latter provision.

FOR ALBERNI, HONOLULU AND SHANGHAI.—The steamer Fusi Yama, Capt. Dundas, R. N., sailed last night for Alberni, where she will take in a cargo of lumber and spars, and sail thence in two or three weeks for China calling at Honolulu.

PUBLICANS AND SINNERS.—Summonses were issued yesterday against three liquor dealers for selling liquors during the hours of divine service, and three parties for riding at too fast a pace over the bridges.

☞ The steamer Emily Harris, Capt. Chambers, having on board the prospecting party despatched by the Eureka Copper company, left for the North Coast on Sunday.

☞ The subscription ball announced to take place this evening at the Lyceum Hall, has been postponed until further notice.

☞ The sloop Northern Light sailed yesterday forenoon for the Sound.

Supreme Court

(Before Chief Justice Cameron and a Common Jury.)

C. B. YOUNG *v.* WM. HOOD.

The Plaintiff in this action sought to recover from the Defendant the sum of $3,055 66 for goods sold and delivered in July, 1862.

Mr. McCreight, instructed by Mr. Pearkes, for Plaintiff, and the Acting-Attorney-General Mr. Ring instructed by Mr. Drake for the Defendant.

The Defendant pleaded a tender of $2,433 11.

The Plaintiff and Defendant and several witnesses were examined, which occupied the Court until a late hour in the evening, and Counsel having addressed the Court, his Honor summed up the evidence. After retiring for about half-an-hour, the jury returned a verdict for the Plaintiff for $2,676 50, being $243 39 in excess of the amount paid into the Court.

COURT OF REVISION.—This Court re-assembled yesterday at 11 A. M., only ten appeals were received. We would remind those parties who intend to appeal against the government assessment on real estate, that the 24th inst. is the last day upon which the assessor will receive notices of appeal. The Revising Court meets but three times a week Monday's, Wednesday's and Saturday's from 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.

SENTENCED.—John H. Pritchard was brought up on remand in the Police Court yesterday, and pleaded guilty to having stolen a pair of shoes of the value of $2, the property of Messrs Janion, Green and Rhodes, and was sentenced by Mr. Pemberton to two months hard labor with imprisonment.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS.—A number of hotel and saloon keepers met according to notice at the Star and Garter Hotel last night. Mr. Brown of the firm of Brown & Craswell (Island Hotel) occupied the chair, and the meeting having formed itself into an association for mutual protection, adjourned until this evening.

☞ The Eliza Anderson now overdue had not arrived from the Sound, up to the time of our going to press.

FROM NANAIMO.—The schooner Shark arrived yesterday morning, with a cargo of coal from Nanaimo.

BRITISH COLUMBIA BOUNDARY BILL.

[HOUSE OF LORDS, 2D JULY.]

From the Evening Express.

The Earl of Donoughmore expressed his gratification at hearing the successful exertions of the Governor in making roads. The last despatches published showed how necessary it was that these roads should be completed for the purpose of taking up food into the mining districts, where the mining population underwent severe suffering from the want of any communications. As the Colony progessed, it became more and more necessary that the question of road communication with British Columbia across the continent should be settled. (Hear, hear.) He was given to understand that, in addition to the western side of the Rocky Mountains, gold had been discovered on the eastern side of those mountains, on the head waters of the Saskatchewan River. He did not know whether the mines there were as rich and productive as those in British Columbia, but this was another reason why it was disirable that some communication should be opened up. As he supposed that his noble friend on the cross-benches had parted with his interest in the Hudson Bay Company, he would probably not object to hear a free opinion with regard to it. (A laugh.) He believed that the company had been a complete bar to the progress of that country. The communications between the noble duke and Mr. Colvile had, no doubt, been of an agreeable character; but certainly all the previous policy of the company had been to discourage settlement and to prevent free access to the territory. He regretted to hear that two of the old directors were to be members of the new board of directors, because if those two gentlemen still maintained the opinions which they formerly held, but little advantage to the public would result from the change. He could not agree with the noble duke that the transaction between the Hudson Bay Company and the new association was a matter with which the Colonial Office had nothing to do, as it was a mere transfer of rights from one set of shareholders to another. He would remind their lordships of the history of the Hudson Bay Company. In the reign of Charles II. a charter was granted to the predecessors of the present company conferring rights of an enormous extent, and conveying to the Hudson Bay Company absolute possessory rights over the whole country. At that time but a small portion of the coast of Hudson Bay had been discovered, and when the Company came to exercise the rights granted to them they found that the Canadians, then a French colony, were in possession of part of the territory, under a charter from the King of France,—a charter equally valid with that granted by the King of England. The Canadians were in possession of the territory as far as Fort Tropez to westward of the Red River, and at the present time another large portion of the territory conveyed to the Hudson Bay Company was included within the boundaries of the United States. The whole of the upper part of the Red River was admitted to be within the territories of the United States. It was only within British territory that the Hudson Bay Company claimed to exercise possessory rights. It became of great importance now to ascertain exactly what those rights were. As long as the Hudson Bay Company adopted a policy of passive resistance he had not thought it necessary to raise the question, but certainly the extent of the rights should be ascertained when those rights were about to be transferred to a new company. The Government should, therefore, take steps to ascertain the extent of those rights, for if nothing was now done to define their extent, the new company would claim all the rights alleged to be possessed by the old company, and their claim would be strengthened by the apparent acquiescence of the Government in them. He had not understood very clearly what the exact arrangement was to be. Last year it was understood that the Hudson Bay Company were to sell or to grant a slip of land for the road, that Canada and British Columbia should each construct the portion of road within their boundaries, and that those two Colonies, together with the Colony of Vancouver Island, should each bear a certain amount of charge; but the arrangement had been changed, and now the Hudson Bay Company was to make the road.

The Duke of Newcastle said he understood that the persons who had purchased the shares in the new company were, if not identical, at least generally the same as those who intend to carry out the road.

The Earl of Donoughmore said that if there were any foundation for the opinions held by the old company, there would be a conflict of interest between the new company and the persons who were to make the road. It had always been said that to enable the company to realize a profit the country must be kept a desert, and the idea of making a road and keeping the country still a desert was absurd. The proper mode of proceeding would be to introduce settlers, and then to make the roads. (Hear, hear.) Before concluding he would wish to ask a question, which was naturally connected with this subject, and that was as to the disputed claim to the Island of San Juan. That island was so situate that all vessels passing from Esquimalt harbor to Victoria must pass within cannon shot? He wanted to know what was the state of negotiations with the American Government, or whether we were to wait until it suited the convenience of the United States Government to settle. It was true that the events of the last year had been such as to occupy all the attention of that Government; but still, the fact of an American force being stationed almost within sight of the capital of a British Colony was one that ought not to be lost sight of.

Lord Taunton said that the language of the noble duke had conveyed to him the impression that he did not attach sufficient importance to the transfer of the stock and rights of the old Hudson Bay Company to a new joint-stock Company. The position of the old Hudson's Bay Company was one full of anomaly. It was not a mere fur-trading company, but possessed rights of almost an imperial description. Taking, as he did, a more favorable view of the manner in which that company had fulfiled its trusts than did the noble Earl who had just sat down, he was never much disposed to cavil at or attack its charter. He admitted that the company had pursued a blind and inconsiderate policy with respect to the introduction of settlers, because nature herself had drawn a distinction between the part of their territory which was adapted to the habits of the fur-bearing animals, and that which was adapted to settlement. [Hear hear.] But, on the other hand, the company have had great duties and great trusts, which they had fulfilled in a manner that was creditable to the country which they represented. Their conduct to the Indian tribes was, taken as a whole, highly creditable [hear]; and they had executed their powers in a truly British spirit, taking care to keep the country for England, and jealously watching the frontier against intruders, and always ready, when the interests of this country were at stake, to remember that their charter had been granted by an English monarch. [Hear, hear,] The territory, the stock and everything belonging to the old company had now, it appeared, been transferred by a sale in the market. It was true that the shares must have been sold before, but the spirit and traditions of the company remained the same. Now all that must be changed. He was ready, from the general information he had received, to concur with the noble Earl that the persons who had undertaken to form the new company were highly respectable; and both on public and private grounds, he could not speak too highly of Sir E. Head, whose services they had secured as the new Governor, but he was not a mercantile man, and would not have much influence in the commercial affairs of the company. The real effective directors were either Americans by birth, or closely connected with the American trade, and he was told that one very strong element in the company was the agents in this country of the American fur trade. He hoped that he was expressing no unreasonable jealousy when he said that he looked with alarm at a transfer of this description. He did not like to see the seat of the fur trade transferred from London to New York; nor should he like to see this matter treated on purely mercantile principles, without reference to any other consideration. Formerly they were told this was a close corporation. He was afraid there was some danger of our now falling into the opposite extreme. The new company would be a completely open one, its shares would be sold in the market, it would be constantly changing, and as far as political changes is concerned, could have no steady or settled policy. The fur trade, he had no doubt, would be conducted very much as it was by the old company. Some persons complained of the existence of a monopoly, and desired to have free trade. It was impossible to carry out free trade in a fur district. You might as well talk of having free trade in a deer forest or pheasant covert. Under such a system, the animals would speedily become extinct. What was more important was that there should be no change in the treatment of the Indians, which had always presented a pleasant contrast to the mode in which they were dealt with on the American side of the frontier. An American writer, who was no friend to the Hudson Bay Company, had admitted that its officers had discovered the secret of preserving the Indians by rendering them useful to the white man and the white man to them, and had afforded an instance, singular in history, and as valuable as it was singular, of the protection of this unfortunate race against the advances of civilization. He should like to know more of the views of Her Majesty's Government upon this question, and in order that they might approach its discussion with rather more knowledge than they then possessed he suggested that the noble duke should postpone the third regarding of this Bill for a few days, and should in the meantime lay upon the table the correspondence of which he had spoken. This he would say, that this transfer of the rights and property of the Hudson Bay Company was a matter of too much importance in our colonial history to be passed over as a merely mercantile transaction, with which Parliament had nothing to do. He was glad to hear the noble duke's declaration as to the importance which he attached to the preservation of Vancouver Island, and he did not object to what he had said with reference to the modification of the Constitution of British Columbia. At the same time he should be sorry to see what was called representative institutions given to the population of that colony at the present moment. (Hear, hear.) The noble duke had drawn a very flourishing picture of the state of that country, but he was afraid that it admitted of the addition of some dark shades. There was one very painful matter in connection with the subject to which he wished, before he sat down, to refer. He was informed that a very shameful traffic in Indian women was being caried on in those quarters, and that these wretched creatures were in many instances allowed to perish from the most shocking of diseases, or carried back to their homes from which they had been taken, where they spread the evil among the aboriginal tribes.

He heard it also stated that a spirit of a most injurious character was frequently administered to the natives, and that owing to those two causes the most horrible results were produced. He should wish to know whether the attention of the noble duke had been called to the subject. As to the facilities for the establishment of telegraphic communication, his noble friend must possess more ample information than himself, and it was evident he was discharging no mere official duty, but one which was grateful to his understanding and heart, in making the proposals which he had done, with a view to contributing to the welfare of the country to which they related. He trusted, however, the noble duke would admit of all the information possible being obtained on the subject. (Hear, hear.)

The Duke of Newcastle said he should be most happy to lay on the table any papers which could afford his noble friend the additional information which he desired. With regard to the transfer from the Hudson Bay Company, the only document which he was able to produce was a very short letter intimating that such an arrangement had been made. What he had proposed to lay on the table was a much larger collection of papers relating to the subject generally. Those he must produce at a later period, because they were somewhat bulky; while he should be happy to postpone the third reading to as distant a day as would admit of the bill being passed in the present session. He might further state in reply to the remarks from the his noble friend, that there were in the old company several gentlemen who did not wish to part with their shares, and who had determined to retain them, and that his sanction was not required in the matter; while he had still reserved to him every power which he previously possessed. His noble friend had made some observations which were calculated to raise a prejudice against the new company, when he observed that he understood the American element was very strong in it. It would, however, have been fairer if he had waited until the next morning, when the prospectus would be issued; the fact being, he believed, that there was one gentleman out of nine on the council who traded largely with the United States, and that he was a naturalized Englishman; while it was impossible to know that the American element prevailed among the shareholders, inasmuch as the shares had not yet been allotted. His noble friend had drawn a sad picture of crime at the gold diggings, and of the state of the unfortunate Indian women, but he did not believe that, except by the introduction of a larger male population, matters were at all worse than before the discovery of gold. He gave the Hudson Bay Company the greatest credit for endeavoring to protect the Indians to the utmost of their power; but the company had found it impossible to prevent some of the evils which arose from the presence of sailors and persons trading for profit to the district. Moreover, the disease to which he had referred was introduced by the Spaniards 100 years ago, and had since swept off whole tribes. It was most lamentable, but so it was, and it was not fair to endeavor to raise a cry against the colony upon this ground. He took the statements of his noble friend for granted, because it was a picture of what unfortunately had existed for nearly a century; but as to any increase in these evils described, he did not believe it, because there were intelligent magistrates in British Columbia, whose duty it was to report these things to the Government, and no such reports had been received by him With reference to the Island of San Juan, the state of things was unfortunate, but not so bad as the noble earl opposite seemed to suppose. When the American Government placed an armed force on the island, and the matter was likely to lead to serious differences between the two countries, an arrangement was made, principally through the instrumentality of General Scott, for a joint occupation. Since the war, the American force had been entirely withdrawn, but negotiations had not proceeded, because the American Government pleaded that their hands were too full to give the matter attention. It was perfectly true that the island remained in dispute, but there was no danger attending the delay, and the delay was not attributable to the British Government. [Hear, hear.)

Lord Chelmsford asked whether the attention of the law officers had been called to the question whether it was competent for the Hudson Bay Company to make a transfer to a new company.

The Duke of Newcastle said he was only informed of the arrangement an hour before he came down to the House. He had not the smallest doubt himself of the perfect legality of the transaction, but, as a noble lord of the experience and legal ability of his noble friend had put the question, he assumed there were reasons for it, and he should deem it his duty to make inquiry before the discussion on the Bill was renewed.

The motion was agreed to.

Letter from our Richfield Correspondent

RICHFIELD, July 28th to August 5th.

GENERAL NEWS.

Since I last wrote nothing of very great importance has taken place among the mining community, except what we have anxiously expected every day, viz: striking the lead in some of the new shafts in the vicinity of those at present taking out large quantities of gold. All the claims reported in previous letters continue to do well. Several claims have been laid over during the week, especially above Richfield, owing in a measure to the poor fellows not being able to carry out the work for want of funds. There are several persons with whom I am well acquainted, who have sunk a shaft from seventy to eighty feet, and all their money with it; they are loath to abandon the ground, having as good an opinion of it as if they were in the actual possession of what they believe it to contain. Their desire, therefore, is still to keep possession, that by persevering they may be able to raise funds to carry them down, to return again in the spring, buoyant with the prospect of having their long deferred hope realized, or otherwise to experience the mortification of abandoning their claim after working hard for two seasons. Such is the life of the miner, and such the chances for and against him and his fortune.

Richfield church and library is in course of erection on a spare lot near Stege's Hotel, formerly Fenton's. It is in appearance a nice building, and will hold from 200 to 250 persons. The contractors are Messrs. Holt & Co.

PROVISIONS.

There is at the present time no scarcity of provisions on the creek, and trains are arriving every day, bringing in almost every article of food needful in any town. I should not much wonder to see a Collard or Broadwood pianoforte make its appearance next, or an Erard harp.

August 4th.

RICHFIELD MARKET PRICES.

Beans, 60c. per lb.; flour, 45c.; bacon, $1; sugar, $1; coffee, $1; tea, $2; beef, 30@40c. We have received a supply of mutton on the creek, which proved a very agreeable change. The mutton sold at 50c. per pound. A few cargos of turnips, white and Swedish, were eagerly bought up, and brought a very ready sale at 50c. per pound, wholesale. A few onions brought $1 12½ per pound. We have a good supply of milk now on the creek; a cow will prove a good paying claim to her owners. Clothing of every variety is much cheaper in proportion than heretofore. Gum boots are cheaper than formerly, but not in such demand at present. I suppose those about to winter here will look out for them before the snow falls, for they may have to pay double to what they do now.

While I write I hear that a claim up creek has had a rich prospect in a very small quantity of dirt; it paid about 8½ oz. It is known as the Hilliard and Cameron claim, and worked well last year; the lead was lost towards the fall, but now they have found it again.

MEETING OF THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Chair taken by his honor Chief Justice Begbie.

A meeting of the above valuable society was held in "Lower Richfield" or "Barkerville," on Thursday evening 30th inst., by the Rev. Lachlin Taylor, the agent and representative of the parent society.

The proceedings were opened by the Rev. Dr. Evans, who read the 19th Psalm, after which a prayer was offered up for the success of the undertaking by the same Rev. gentleman.

Judge Begbie who occupied the chair now addressed the meeting in a most eloquent manner, dwelling fully on the zeal, energy, and indefatigable labors of the British and Foreign Bible Society, and also proved how noble a pursuit it was, to endeavor to spread the sacred Word of God through every land.

After a short and touching address from T. L. Wood, Esq, the first resolution was submitted to the meeting, which was as follows:

1st Resolution, "That this meeting recognizes the inestimable value of the inspired Word of God not only as a reliable medium of instruction to men, as to the way of Salvation, but also in its relation to the advancement of Domestic, Social and National interests."

Seconded by Rev. R. S. Brown, M. A., and carried unanimously.

Dr. Walker next addressed the meeting, and during his speech brought forward a very remarkable anecdote from his travels in search of Sir John Franklin, to verify the comfort derived from the Bible in the last moments of the true Christain, no matter what denomination, or what position he may be placed in. Each point alluded to was fraught with interest and eagerly listened to by all present. In concluding he moved the

2d Resolution. "That the measure of success already vouchsafed by Almighty God to the means employed by The British and Foreign Bible Society, and other associations, for the circulation of the Holy Scriptures in many languages, should stimulate to persevering and increased exertion for their universal diffusion among the nations and people of the earth."

Supported by the Rev. Dr. Evans, and by the Rev. L. Taylor, Agent of the British and Foreign Bible Society, and carried unanimously.

This latter worthy gentleman now engaged the audience, giving a full and interesting account of the rise and progress of this stupendous society from the first day of its commencement in a private room, to the work carried on in magnificent buildings at the present day. Also the manner in which the Bible was received by different nations and tribes, who through the valuable aid of missionaries and others, have been enabled to break the bonds of darkness and Idolatry, and embrace the true and radiant light of religion, the gospel and christianity. It would be almost impossible for me to give all the matter contained in the words of this gifted speaker, (perhaps those who have heard him before can form an estimate of his powerful eloquence.) suffice it to say, his discourse went on from one point of interest to another, like the butterfly in its gaudy dress, hovering from one sweet garden flower to another, tasting the sweetness of each, and I think it well occupied the time of an eager and respectable audience for a little over an hour. So delighted were all with his true poetic style, that the time glided by as if it were only a few short minutes. We will say then with fervour, for the British and Foreign Bible Society, what Gray spoke of in his beautiful Elegy, and I hope ambition, pride or grandeur, will never frown on so good a society as this.

"Let not ambition mock their useful toil,
Their homely joys and destiny obscure;
Or grandeur hear with a disdainful smile,
The short and simple annals of the poor."

I have no doubt that the useful lesson set forth in the minutes of this meeting, considering the time, place, and all things, will remain indelibly written on the memory of all those who had the gratifying pleasure of being present.

As soon as the oration of the Rev. Lachlin Taylor terminated, the Rev. Dr. Evans again addressed the assembly in that mild yet impressive manner, which cannot fail to rivet the attention of any meeting, his closing sentence brought down great applause throughout the hall.

Rev. R. S. Brown next addressed all present, and although his remarks were much abreviated, yet everything was spoken to the point. Soon after this a collection was made. A vote of thanks was tendered the chairman for the able manner in which he conducted the proceedings, and the meeting broke up after a benediction had been pronounced by the Rev. J. Sheepshanks, M. A.

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THE THIRD ANNUAL EXHIBITION of this Society will be held in Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th SEPTEMBER, 1863, at which the following premiums will be awarded, viz.:

CLASS A.

SECTION 1—BULLS.

For the best yearling, calved after the 1st January, 1862	$2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best two years' old, calved after the 1st January, 1861	5 00
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For the best three years' old, calved after the 1st January, 1860	10 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best Bull any age over 3 years	5 00
For the best yoke Work Oxen	4 00
Second best do do - Honorary Certificate.	

SECTION 2—HEIFERS AND COWS.

For the best yearling, calved after the 1st January, 1862	$2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best two year old, calved after the 1st January, 1861	3 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best three years' old, calved after the 1st January, 1860	5 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate	
For the best Cow of any age over 3 years	5

SECTION 3—RAMS.

For the best Ram lamb, lambed after the 1st January, 1863	2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best Hogget or Gimmer, lambed after the 1st January, 1862	2 50
Second do do - Honorary Certificate	
For the best 2 shear, lambed after the 1st January, 1861	3 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best Ram, of any age over 2 shear	5 00

SECTION 4—EWES AND LAMBS.

For the best pen of 5 lambs, lambed after the 1st January, 1863	$2 50
Second do do - Honorary Certificate	
For the best pen of 5 Ewes	5 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate,	

FOR THE BEST TWO SAMPLES OF WOOL.

The best fleece of fine Wool	$2 00
do do by length of staple	2 00

SECTION 5—STALLIONS.

For the best Stallion, for agricultural purposes	$10 00
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For the best thorough bred Stallion	5 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	

SECTION 6—BROOD MARES.

For the best Brood Mare, for agricultural purposes	$10 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best thorough bred Mare	5 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	

SECTION 7—BOARS.

For the best Boar	$5 00
Second do - Honorary Certificate.	

SECTION 8—SOWS.

For the best brood Sow	$5 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate	
For the best Sow, with sucking litter	5 00
Second do do Hon. Certificate.	

CLASS B.

SECTION 9.

For the best bushel of Wheat	$2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best bushel of Barley	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best bushel of Oats	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best bushel of Field Peas	2 00
Second do do Hon. Certificate.	
For the best bushel of Field Beans	2 00
Second do do Hon. Certificate.	
For the best samples of Timothy, Red and White Clover and Rye-grass Seeds, in quantities of not less one peck each	1 00

SECTION 10—FIELD GROWTH.

For the best six field growth Swedish Turnips	$2 00
Second do do do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best 6 Bullock Turnips	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best 6 roots Mangel Wurtzel	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best Carrots, 12 roots	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best bushel of Potatoes produced	2 00
Second do do Hon. Certificate.	
For the best 12 Parsnips	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	
For the best 6 Cabbage heads	2 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate	

CLASS C.

SECTION 11—DAIRY PRODUCE.

For the best Butter, not less than 5 lbs	$2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best Cheese, not less than 5 lbs	2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	
For the best flitch of Bacon	2 00
Second do do - Honorary Certificate.	

CLASS D.

SECTION 12—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES—GARDEN PRODUCE.

For the best 6 Apples	$1 00
do do 6 Pears	1 00
do do 6 Quinces	1 00
do do 6 lbs Tomatoes	1 00
do do 6 Varieties Cabbage (2 heads each)	1 00
do do 6 Beets	1 00
do do 6 Parsnips	1 00
do do 6 heads of Celery	1 00
do do 6 roots Salsify or Oyster Plant	1 00
do do 2 heads Cauliflower	1 00
do do 2 Sweet Melons	1 00
do do 2 Water Melons	1 00
do do 2 Squashes	1 00
do do 4 Varieties of Carrots, 6 in a bunch	1 00
do do best peck of Onions	1 00
do do best bushel of Ash-leaf Kidney Potatoes	1 00

CLASS E.

SECTION 13—POULTRY.

For the best pair of Turkeys	$2 00
do do Geese	2 00
do do Ducks	1 00
do do Fowls	1 00
do do Rabbits	1 00
do heaviest dozen of Hen's Eggs	1 00

CLASS F.

SECTION 14.

Best Agricultural Wagon	$10 00
do do Spring do	5 00
do do Plough	5 00
do do Harness	5 00

IMPORTED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Exhibited by the manufacturer, or others, to be admitted free of charge, and shall receive a Judge's Honorary Certificate.

CLASS G.

SECTION 15—FLOWERS.

For the best Bouquet of Flowers	$3 00
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CLASS H.

SECTION 16—MODELS AND DESIGNS.

Best model of a Farm Steading	$3 00
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Best design of a Garden	3 00
Second do do Hon. Certificate.	
Best Basket Table, or Stand for Flowers	Hon. Certificate.

CLASS I.

SECTION 17—BEES AND HONEY.

Best Hive Bees	$2 00
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Best Honey in the comb, not less than 2 lbs	1 00
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A Ploughing Match and a Spading Match will be held on the day previous to the Show; due notice will be given of the locality chosen.

First prize Ploughing with 2 horses	$7 50
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First prize Spading Match	5 00
Second do do Honorary Certificate.	

All animals, produce, vegetables, flowers, and other articles, intended for exhibition must be taken to the Show Yard between the hours of 6 and 9 a. m., on the day of the exhibition, after which hour nothing will be allowed to be entered for competition. Exhibitors to provide feed.

N. B.—This rule will be strictly adhered to.

No persons except those in charge of stock will be allowed to remain in the Show Yard after half-past nine.

The Judges of the different departments will commence their duties at 9½ a. m., and the public will be admitted to the Show Yard at 12 o'clock, on payment of 50c.; children under 12 half price. Members and their families showing their tickets, will be admitted free.

At 2 o'clock the Show Yard will be thrown open to the public, and will be closed at 3 p. m., when exhibitors will be at liberty to remove their property.

All produce and stock will be returned to the exhibitors. Everything must be removed before 12 o'clock the day after the show.

All foreign bulls, stallions, rams and boars; also agricultural implements, will be allowed to compete free of entrance fees at the Society's Show of 1863.

Every exhibitor of field peas, beans, grain, and green crops, shall have a label upon each stating Where the seed was obtained;

The number of acres, roods, or perches from which the samples were selected;

What crops preceded it;

What manure was applied;

And what was the produce per acre, rood, or perch.

All cereals, vegetables, fruits and flowers to be of Island growth of this year; all in Class C, to be Island produce. jy25

J. T. PIDWELL,

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Or in any other part of the body, its application to the part or parts where the pain exists will afford immediate relief.

IF SEIZED WITH PAIN

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In the Teeth, Ears, or Throat;
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One teaspoonful of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF to a wineglass of water will, in a few minutes, restore the patient to ease and comfort.

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If Sun Stroke, or seized with Fits;
If Weak in the Spine or Back;

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should be applied to the part or parts afflicted. It instantly relieves the patient from pain, and quickly heals, soothes, and strengthens the disabled parts. In all cases of Bites of Rabid Dogs, Reptiles, Stings of Poisonous Insects, the application of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF to the wound will prevent inflammation and mortification.

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" Chapais'	3 "
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" Anderson Lake	12 "
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Thence to Lillooet Flat	3½ "
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" Pavillion to Cut Off Valley	14 "
" Cut Off to Clinton	12 "
Total	47 Miles.

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Only 47 Miles,

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As a Proof of the Existence of

Good Hotels on the Wagon Road!

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	MILES.
Lorenzo's	8
Frenchman's	18
Reynolds'	20
Maitley's	22
McIlrath's	28
Harkell's	29
Reynolds'	36
Watson's	47
Saul & Co's	60
Calbraith's	70
McMurphy's	74
Walters & Co's	87
Bridge Creek	100
Durgan's	106
Cochrane's	112
Anderson's	116
Felker's	128
Mrs. Jones	146
Davidson's	151
Deep Creek	161
Dunlevy's	184
Alexandria	200

One Hundred Wagons

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Passengers Leaving Douglas by Stage

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FROM LILLOOET TO ALEXANDRIA